

**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

**Applicants** : Jiangchun Xu et al.  
**Application No.** : 09/593,793  
**Filed** : June 13, 2000  
**For** : **COMPOSITIONS AND METHODS FOR THE THERAPY AND  
DIAGNOSIS OF PROSTATE CANCER**

**Examiner** : David J. Blanchard  
**Art Unit** : 1643  
**Docket No.** : 210121.427C15  
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Commissioner for Patents  
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**AMENDMENT**

**Commissioner for Patents:**

Please extend the period of time for response three months, to expire on December 2, 2006. Applicants herewith submit payment of the requisite fee for a three-month extension of time.

Please amend the application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 3 of this paper.

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